

**George Davis to Coach Browns.**  
ST. LOUIS, April 18.—The St. Louis Browns have signed the veteran George Davis to act as coach and scout. Manager Fielder Jones believes Davis is one of the best judges of the game, and always has given him full credit for the showing of the Chicago White Sox when the two were together on the hitless wond'rs.

**Close Shave for Meekin.**  
CHICAGO, April 18.—Joust Meekin, the famous old-time pitcher of the Washington and New York Nationals, who, as Amos Rusie, won the Temple cup in 1894, is recovering from a close shave. The flu, which cyclone recently struck New Albany, Ind. Quick thinking probably saved Meekin's life. The flu, which is rampant in the New Albany fire department, crawled under the door of Meekin's room, and he was rescued when he heard the roar of the fire trucks.